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RE: REPLY TO SEPTEMBER 2, 2003 OFFICE ACTION
FOR: SERIAL NUMBER 09/683,502; ART UNIT 2837; FILED 1/9/2002;
TITLE: SELF-ALIGNING ULTRASONIC DISPLACEMENT SENSOR SYSTEM,
APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DETECTING SURFACE VIBRATIONS
EXAMINER: JEFFREY DONELS

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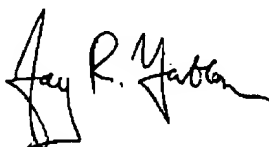
Dear Sir:

In reply to the above-captioned office action, please find attached a twenty-one (21) page detailed reply.

This reply is timely filed and the claim count is unchanged, so no fees are due at this time.

By and with this reply, I hereby request further examination and consideration of this application as elected.

Very Truly Yours,

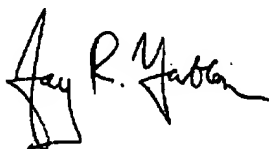


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